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## CORPORATION MEETING

The annual Corporation meeting was held Monday evening in the upper Corporation building. A small number of voters were out to elect officers and act on the twenty-six articles in the warrant. No contests were in evidence and the same officers who served last year were re-elected. Every article in the warrant was favorably acted upon. It was the quietest Corporation meeting for years.

Under article 10, regarding the matter of police protection, it was voted to leave it to the discretion of the Assessors.

Under article 21, relative to traffic and parking regulations the matter was left to the Assessors to take such action as seemed necessary.

It was voted to install a street light on the Greenwood road near the residence of D. H. Sperrin.

In regard to the installation of street lights on Mill Hill, and on the Songo road near the residence of L. P. Andrews, it was left with the Assessors.

It was voted to install a street light near the Standard Oil Co. tanks below the railroad track.

A committee, consisting of E. C. Park, P. E. Hanson and E. P. Bisbee, was appointed to revise the by-laws and present the same at the annual meeting in 1926.

It was voted to pay 1 1/2 per cent for collecting taxes.

The following officers were elected: Moderator—F. B. Merrill. Clerk—P. E. Hanson. 1st Assessor—E. P. Bisbee. 2nd Assessor—C. K. Fox. 3rd Assessor—D. G. Brooks. Treasurer—H. C. Rowe. Auditor—E. C. Park. Collector—D. M. Forbes. Engineers—G. B. Harlow, W. C. Gary, H. W. Boyker. Park Commissioner for 3 years—H. C. Rowe.

**Appropriations**  
Police Protection, \$300.00  
Care of Parks, 500.00  
Fire Department, 800.00  
Hydrant Service, 900.00  
Street Lights, 1,750.00  
Sinking Fund, 500.00  
Miscellaneous, 400.00  
To Pay P. L. Edwards, \$4.51

## REPORT OF SPECIAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The special committee on village school building met Saturday afternoon, March 7, at two o'clock. Voted to recommend to the town:

1. Large building accommodations absolutely necessary.

2. That a new building, separate from the brick building, be erected.

Appointed a committee of three, consisting of Miss Thurston, Mr. Hanson and Mr. Park, to investigate and report Saturday, March 14, at two P. M. on building sites, getting figures for same.

## GRADUATE OF GOULD ACADEMY HONORED

Donald N. Sweeney, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sweeney, who recently received a nomination to West Point by Congressman William H. White, took the examination for the appointment at Fort Banks, Miss., last Tuesday.

Mr. Sweeney was born in Howland on December 23, 1907, and received his education in the public schools of Bar Harbor and Rumford. Last June he was graduated from Gould Academy, Bethel, with honors and since that time he has been employed by the Virginia Battery Company.

The boy had a brilliant preparatory school career being one of the best track athletes in his class at all times. He was also interested in athletics and was a star member of the basketball squad. During his freshman year at Gould Mr. Sweeney served as vice-president of his class and last year he was elected a delegate to the V. M. C. conference. His graduation exercises were held at the Gould Academy.

The boy's father, James Sweeney, has been employed as millwright at the Oxford Paper Mill for the past few years.

Mrs. James Sweeney, mother of the boy, was appointed principal of Virginia in 1910 and served for three years. Mrs. Sweeney resigned the position and at the present time is a primary teacher in the same school.

## WHIST PARTY

The Men's Club of the Congregational Church will hold a public whist party at the home of L. L. Carver, Thursday evening, March 12. A good social evening guaranteed. Everyone who plays cards should be there. Admission 25c.

## SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

The pupils of the Grammar School gave an interesting entertainment at the Wm. Bingham Gymnasium on the evening of March 5.

Miss Ruth Leafe, the talented music teacher of Gould Academy and the excellent work she has accomplished with the children. She was assisted in presenting the program by the five teachers: Miss Godwin, Miss Potter, Miss Robie, Mrs. Bisbee and Miss Good.

This little exhibition of our school children's musical and dramatic ability is convincing proof of the important place that music holds in our school curriculum.

The attendance of parents and interested friends was encouraging and the sum of forty-five dollars was cleared for school improvement. Following is the program:

### "THE MOTHER SPEAKS"

The Mother, Dorothy Edwards. Song, "When I'm Big," Richard Young. Minuet, sung by 7th and 8th grades, directed by Kathryn and Barbara Herrick. "Charles Chaplin and John Travolta."

Song, "George Washington."

"Our Flag," 3rd and 4th Grades.

Maypole Dance.

Girls of 3rd and 4th Grades.

Betsy Ross, song.

Betsy Ross, Marie Chapman.

George Washington, Warren Blake.

Flag Drill.

Girls of 5th and 6th Grades.

Songs, "Tenting Tonight," "Tramp, Tramp," Boys from 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Grades.

Violin Solo and encore, Ernest Blake.

Flag Drill.

Girls from 7th and 8th Grades.

Song, "Flag and School Forever," 7th and 8th Grades.

Songs, "Garden Song," "Can You Plant the Seeds,"

Folk Dances, "Clap and Bow," "The You," Boys and Girls from 1st and 2nd Grades.

Military Drill, Boys from 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Grades.

Tableau, "Hospital Scene."

Nurse, Ruth Bennett.

Soldier, Warren Hutchinson.

Columbia, Eloise Vashaw.

Salute to the Flag.

Song, "America the Beautiful," School.

## GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

The girls of the Y. W. C. A. and the boys of the Y. M. C. A. of Gould Academy are planning to give a circus in the William Bingham Gymnasium the first week in April. The program will offer some interesting nights as a Living Skeleton, Scamper Twins, Human Calliope, Barney George and Spark Plug, as well as a bear, lion, giraffe, elephant and many other special features.

Gould Academy boys team played Bethel town team Friday night in the gym, and won by the score of 29 to 15. Gould started out with a bang and piled up eighteen points before the town team knew what had happened, and the half ended with Gould leading eighteen to two. After the ten minute rest, town team came back strong and played the school boys even, piling up thirteen points to the Academy's eleven. The game was hard fought and rough in spots and although the town team did their best the team work of the academy kept the town team's baskets down to a small number and at the same time piled up a comfortable lead during the first half of the game. Thurston and Young and Fiddler played the best game for the town team.

Miss Elizabeth Mason and Miss Florence Howe led the meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Girl Reserve last Tuesday afternoon, the meeting was one of interest to all.

The boys' basketball games were being played off for the school cup, and much interest is being manifested in the games by the classes as well as the school. The Sophomores are leading with four victories and no defeats, the Juniors are next with three wins and one defeat, the Seniors are third with two wins and two defeats, and the Freshmen are trailing with four defeats and no wins.

Mr. Parker, a former pupil and friend of Mr. Hanson, entertained the pupils and teachers with some of his clever, humorous and blackboard sketches. Mr. Parker is known as the crayon wizard.

A heavy shower passed over Bethel early Wednesday morning, accompanied by heavy thunder and a big display of lightning.

## WINTER PIONIC

On Thursday, March 7, the Ladies' Club, at the invitation of Mrs. Harriet Cilley and Mrs. W. J. Upson, enjoyed an all day picnic at the Field Farm. The weather was sunny and the long sleds were loaded to their utmost capacity with dignified age and giggling youth. In fact to mount the above mentioned conveyances was no small feat but to some of the agile and athletic members the feat presented no difficulties—just a part of their daily dozen.

A roaring fire in the pleasant living room greeted the party and continued to dispense its cheer and hospitality throughout the day.

An efficient kitchen force from Bethel served the dinner. Dinner is too modest a word for the sumptuous banquet spread at noon for the appreciative guests. On the menu Bryant's home-made sausage was featured par excellence, flanked by an end of cold joints and fancy cuts. The humble spud appeared at its best, roasted and with an accompanying staff of many vegetables, creamed to the taste of the most epicurean. Words fail to do justice to the desserts, the large assortment and their varying states and stages of sweetness and beauty. And the aroma of the coffee. Who said that any one should refuse?

No work was accomplished, but no one cared. Nary a needle or a thimble appeared from their hiding places and no one felt guilty. Sociability was the order of the day, and justice was done. hilarity too, had its part and the location of the rendezvous was ideal.

At four o'clock, the surfboard and hotly merry makers gave retiring cheers for the teamsters, the cooks and the hostesses, and returned home.

## LADIES' CIRCLE PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED

The Ladies' Circle met with Mrs. Lois Thurston on Wednesday, Mar. 4. Mrs. Warren, a member of the Bethel Club of Ladies, gave a very interesting talk on Birds. She spoke especially of how to identify them, also how to attract them. One of them needs to be emphasized was water. They need water both for drinking and bathing quite as much as they need food. Both food and water should be given in "the open," where they will not be surprised by a lurking foe.

Among the bird visitors that Mrs. Warren has entertained this past week were: Tree Sparrows, Chickadees, Blue Jays, Purple Finches, Gold Finches, the Hairy and the Downy Woodpecker, Nuthatches, Pine Siskin, a Starling, Robin and five Crows. Some of these guests have been permanent, others transient. All have paid their board, fully and cheerfully by their interesting and happy ways.

Some of the attractions offered them: sunflower seeds, scratch feed, table waste and doughnuts. A doughnut slipped on a bush is an object of much amusement and gratification to these little guests.

If one wishes to take up a hobby it would be difficult to find one that would be a source of more pleasure than the study of the birds.

## X. OF P. INSTALLATION

The officers of Bethel Lodge, K. of P., were installed Tuesday evening, Mar. 3, at Grange Hall. The installation ceremonies were witnessed by a goodly number of the members and their families and members of Newcomb Temple and their families. The installing officers were: Herbert A. Rish, Jr., of Norway, as Grand Chancellor; John Everett of St. Paul, as Grand Master; and Anna and Charles Melrose as tapers. Prof. L. who very ably installed the new officers. After the installation a delicious supper was served after which a few select dances were enjoyed. The following are the officers:

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. Myron Lord of Waterford was in town over the week end.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring were in Bethel a few days last week.

Mr. J. S. Burbank was in South Paris one day last week on business.

Miss Eaton of Skowhegan is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Carver.

Dr. W. B. Trumble has purchased a snow boat of Herriek Bros. Co.

Mrs. H. M. Farwell and Mr. L. A. Pratt were in West Paris, Tuesday.

Mrs. F. E. Bonahue and Mrs. D. M. Forbes were in Berlin, N. H., Friday.

Mr. George Haslow has returned to his work at the N. S. Stowell Co. mill.

Mrs. Harlan Bartlett of Newry is assisting in the home of Everett McKen.

The pews for the Christian Science Church have arrived and are being installed.

Mrs. Annie Willey went to Boston, Friday, where she will attend the spring unwherry shows.

Mrs. W. C. Garey was called to Boston, Monday, by the death of her sister, Mrs. Gidden.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Tyler have returned to Bethel after spending the winter in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bartlett of Rumford were dinner guests of Miss Catherine Howe, Saturday.

The regular meeting of Bethel Lodge, No. 97, P. & A. M., will be held Thursday evening this week.

Mrs. G. L. Thurston, who has been caring for Mrs. Devine of West Paris, returned to Bethel, Friday.

Mrs. Clifford Henderson of Upton has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Merrill, and family.

Mr. Rodney Bartlett has completed his work for W. H. Thurston and returned to his home in town.

About four inches of snow fell last Thursday. A rain following made the roads rather rough for a few days.

Roads are in pretty good condition and people who have waded yet unharmed are making the most of the best sledding for the winter.

Miss Mabel Kelley and Miss Mary Frances Robertson have gone to Winchester, Mass., where they will visit relatives for some time.

Miss Ruth Hastings is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hastings before returning to her studies at Bates College.

Words have been received in town of the death of Mrs. Rena Phillips of Gorham, N. H., which occurred Sunday. Mrs. Phillips was a sister of Dr. I. H. Wright.

Mrs. E. M. Harbank celebrated her 40th birthday, Monday, by entertaining a number of friends during the day. She was also the recipient of a post card shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bartlett have completed their duties at the Stone Farm at Bethel, N. H., and are spending some time with her mother, Mrs. L. T. Bartlett.

Mrs. W. B. Chapman, who has been spending a few weeks at her home here, returned to New York, Monday. Miss Campbell Chapman accompanied her for a short stay.

Miss Alicea Wheeler has returned to her studies at Houghton Institute, Springfield, Mass., after spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wheeler.

Negotiations have been made by Lee H. Davis for the purchase of the interest of A. W. Herrick in the Herrick Bros. Co. garage. Mr. Davis is now in Brookline, Mass., but it is expected that he will return to Bethel, April 1st.

Rev. Mr. Bennett of Portland has preached the pulpit at the Congregational Church last Sunday and gave a very interesting sermon, his subject having for its theme, "April." In the evening he gave an interesting talk in the Chapel.

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## SPLUDGE VS. FUDGE

The lawsuit which has been pending for the past week was held at the Congregational Chapel, Tuesday evening, following a supper given by the ladies of the church.

The Chapel was crowded to overflowing with an appreciative audience and, as said, many could not gain admission to listen to this case. The trial was preceded by a piano solo by Garard Eames and a violin solo by Ernest Blake.

The honorable court was ushered in by Sheriff Thomas K. Katt, after which the attorneys and their clients made their appearance. The Clerk then called the roll of jurors and as each juror appeared necks were craned to get a look and after much laughter and applause the case was started. The attorney for the plaintiff, Baris Knawittall, opened the case, and outlined his case to the finest detail, after which three witnesses were called, Cephas Dudge, Hiram Jenks and Obadiah Smith, who were questioned and then the attorney for the defendant arose and in a flowery way put it up to the jury to make its decision for his client. The Judge gave his charge to the jury and they marched out and after a short deliberation returned with its verdict. The verdict rendered was that the witnesses should pay the damages for having caused all the trouble.

The entertainment was laugh provoking and amusing from start to finish. The characters as printed in last week's issue of the Citizen were all dressed to represent their individual titles.

## THE J. E. JONES LETTER

### GALVIN COOLIDGE

When Calvin Coolidge stood in front of the Nation's Capitol on March 4, and assumed the duties of the Presidency in his own right, those who have watched the development of his career, felt that they had witnessed a transformation in the man that was remarkable. He stood before the inaugural throng, confident, and as the Chief, in short "he looked like a President." This estimate voiced by many people, was all the more remarkable because the Coolidge who came to Washington with Harding four years before, seemed to be a different, retiring Yankee. In the days when he was Vice President Calvin Coolidge attracted very little attention. The critics are always severe and merciless in Washington, and they were especially ruthless with Coolidge, the Vice President. He was pictured as provincial, and a "tight-wad," who though tongue-tied gave lectures when there was an honorarium attached.

### NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS

Vice President Coolidge had not been in office more than a few hours before he was somewhat curtly turned down by newspaper correspondents at the Capitol. They said "he didn't know any better." But that was undoubtedly an incorrect appraisal of his action. He really did know newspaper correspondents very well, and he did not propose to trundle to any clique of them, as he knew other public men were doing in Washington. His firm decision in that instance should have impressed the newspaper men with a better understanding of the firmness of his resolutions. But even newspaper writers miss the point at times—and they did then. Three or four years was destined to elapse before they found out their Coolidge.

### DOING HIS JOB

Calvin Coolidge is about one hundred percent "matter of fact." He accepted the Presidency and took over its duties about the same way any ordinary citizen would enter upon new employment. He started in slowly, and learned his job upon his subject and political advisers. His tendencies were many, and they predicted that he would turn out to be a calamity and a rock failure. A good many Senators and Representatives thought they could run over the President and his program. The great cut-throat they, and Washington have had since the death of the late President Harding, has been the growing power of Coolidge. He talks economy, and out of working hours, and never lets people forget that his measures must be changed and improved in the interests of the taxpayers. He holds fast to his policy of entry into the World War and a more definite world policy, in which the United States shall always and the leadership it has gained. Some of the political opponents refuse to follow President Coolidge, because they do not think his manner of participating in international affairs is direct and broad enough. But even these critics admit that he wants "something," and never lets the Senate forget what he is after.

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## CHAPMAN CONCERT

To Be Given in Bethel, Saturday Afternoon, March 21

The announcement of the date of the Chapman Concert to be held so soon in our town is hailed with great delight by our music lovers. We wish Mr. Chapman could realize how much pleasure and good he is doing by bringing to us an evening of real music with New York artists. This is the real musical event of the year for our town. All social gatherings will be set aside for that date, so as to give everyone an opportunity to attend.

Miss Muriel H. Wilson, the charming young coloratura soprano, will make her debut before Maine audiences on this tour. She has a most pleasing personality, and a voice of great charm and beauty. Mr. Chapman says her voice is more like Alma Gluck's when he first brought her to the Festivals, than any young singer he has heard in a long day in New York. She was soloist at the Rubinstein Club last month, where two thousand people acclaimed her as the best singer heard in New York this year, so the public of Maine can anticipate with much pleasure the hearing of this fascinating young artist.

Italy is a land of great singers, and among the young dramatic tenors from the home of Caruso there is none whose future promises more than that of Giuseppe Lombardo. He was born in Palermo, on the island of Sicily, a quarter of a century ago. But he came to America at the age of three. It was in New York that Mr. Lombardo's voice was discovered, and all of his vocal training has taken place in America. But he has studied with Italian masters. For several years he studied voice and coached for opera under the tutelage of Salvatore Fucito, coach for Enrico Caruso, and Giovanni Martinelli. Mr. Lombardo already has made six concert appearances in New York City. He has been engaged to sing the role of Don Jose in Bizet's "Carmen," with Geraldine Farrar's own company. He has received also, offers from several of the more important opera houses of Italy. During the war Mr. Lombardo spent fourteen months abroad with the A. E. F. as a member of the 78th division. In his spare time he arranged many concerts for his fellow soldiers. While abroad he sang at the Opera Comique in Paris, and Albert Hall in London. Mr. Lombardo's operatic repertoire includes the principal roles of "Tosca," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "Carmen," "Pagliacci," "Andrea Chénier," "La Bohème" and "La Forza del Destino."

Mr. Chapman needs no comment on his work at the piano, for he has long been recognized as one of the kings of accompanists and all artists are always most happy when he will consent to play for them. The programme will be made up of popular and interesting numbers. Tickets will be at popular prices, and will go on sale at Bosserman's Drug Store on Monday, March 16. Don't forget the date, Saturday afternoon, March 21st, 1925.

## ORANGE NEWS

### PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE

Pleasant Valley Grange met in regular session Tuesday evening, March 10. The first and second degrees were conferred on two candidates, Mildred Bennett and Raymond Bennett. During the literary program the lecturer, Mr. Ruth Grover, presented the following:

Recitation, Hazel Lutton.

Piano Solo, encore, Sylvia Grover.

Brief Grange History, H. N. Head.

Reading, Chas. Melrose.

At the next meeting, March 21, we will center the third and fourth degrees. A supper is scheduled and we are working up a special program, a part of which is to be a happy week trial. Watch for more extended account next week.

### ROUND MT. GRANGE

Round Mt. Grange held a very interesting and instructive meeting Saturday afternoon, March 7. After the usual routine work the following program was given:

Flagging, Grange.

Current Events by all.

Piano Solo, Hazel Wardwell.

After the program the degree work was practiced for a short time. One application for membership was received. Next regular meeting will be held March 21. Visitors always welcome.

A public whist followed by dancing will be held at Grange Hall, Bethel, Saturday evening, March 21, the best of piano music will be in attendance. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments served.



## ASKED AND ANSWERED

(This is a valuable educational feature in the Oxford County Citizen. Send in your questions, and address them to U. S. Press Association, Continental Trust Building, Washington, D. C. Mention this paper when you write. Enclose two cents in stamps for reply. Do not include trivial matters or questions requiring extensive research.)

Q. What part of the United States was buried underneath the ice during the ice age?

The United States Department of the Interior recently issued a bulletin upon this subject in which it said that central Massachusetts and the rest of New England, together with all the northern part of North America was inundated not only once, but several times during the great ice age, or glacial epoch. A vast sheet of ice ranging in thickness from one thousand to several thousand feet covered everything. The time that has elapsed since the last ice sheet disappeared has been variously estimated by scientists as ten thousand to thirty thousand years.

Q. What is the annual production of cigarettes in the United States?

Based on the value of Revenue stamps sold, \$9,999,999,999 cigarettes were manufactured in the United States last year. The increase in cigarette consumption is estimated at 400 percent. On the other hand \$7,000,000,000 cigars were manufactured in the country last year as compared with \$2,999,999,999 in 1923.

Q. Why are soldiers requested to break step in crossing a bridge?

So that the bridge will not be set into vibration by the regular and repeated step of the marching feet. It has long been known that soldiers marching in step cause bridges to sway, thus throwing a greater strain upon them than when they break step.

Q. Why are the walls of buildings usually blown outside by tornadoes?

In the center of the whirl of the storm, the black funnel which comes upon the water about as the windward side of the eye of the storm, the air is blown outwards. If the vacuum passes over the house the air inside the house does not have time to escape through the windows and doors, so it blows up the house.

Q. What is the coldest thing in the world?

Proxima Centauri has a low temperature of about 27 degrees below zero. This is within one degree of what is called the absolute zero, which is a theoretical temperature at which the atomic motion is supposed to cease altogether.

Q. Are white people more like the yellow or the Negro race?

Scientifically, they are more like the yellow race. The Negro race probably split off from the primitive stock of mankind many thousands of years before the white and the yellow separated into two races.

Q. Does the radio wave contain a high degree of power?

The radio wave matters in all directions from the sending station and has very little power as received in an ordinary receiving set.

Q. What advantage has a cat's eyes over those of a human being in seeing in the dark?

Cat's eyes are sensitive to ultra violet rays. Its pupils are capable of great expansion than those of a human being, or of most other animals.

Q. How many articulate states do we possess?

Five. Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts and Connecticut.

Q. What is the difference between the brightness of daylight and that of the moon?

Daylight is about 100,000 times as bright as the light of the full moon.

Q. Was there a woman concerned in the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, and who was she?

Mrs. Mary E. Surratt was hung for complicity in the assassination of President Lincoln. The conspirators planned their diabolical deed in her home. She and her son, John H. Surratt immediately were under suspicion with being connected with the crime. Mrs. Surratt was convicted and hanged at a point now occupied by the grounds of the War College at Washington. Her son escaped but was brought back to Washington for trial in 1867. His trial for conspiracy occupied two months, and ended in a disagreement of the jury.

Q. Is it true that the capital of Norway has been changed? If so, what is it now?

Christiania as a name ceased on Jan. 1, 1925, when the capital of Norway reverted to its ancient name of Oslo.

Q. Why is the bluebird regarded as the bird of happiness?

The upper parts of the bird are sky-blue, shot with purple, with its throat, neck, breast, and sides reddish-chestnut, and part of its wings and tail feathers black. The bird is a great favorite, especially in the United States. Everywhere it is hailed as the harbinger of spring, and wherever it chances to reside it is sure of a warm welcome. Poets and sentimental authors have aided the bluebird in securing its claim to being the bird of happiness.

Q. How can the human voice be photographed?

A special camera device has been arranged for this purpose. By standing before it and speaking, the different sounds and modulations of the voice register in waxed discs. It is possible to take these plates or films out of the machine and reproduce the sounds. The process looks very simple when you see the operation. But it hasn't yet been perfected. At a latter date the combination of moving pictures and the photographing of the human voice will be combined, and talking movies will be in general use.

Q. What does it cost to carry on the fight of the United States against rats?

Figures recently collected by the United States Biological Service indicate more than \$2,000,000 is expended annually, and the figures based upon reliable statistics gathered principally from manufacturers of chemical poisons, bactericidal viruses, and trap manufacturers, indicate that a relentless struggle against rats is being conducted by weight. Investigation shows that in 1924 \$2,225,000 is spent annually for rat traps alone.

Q. How strong does an electric current have to be before it will cause death?

It depends on the way the current passes through the body, on how long it lasts, on the general health, etc. Obviously there is little danger from the small house lighting circuits of 100 to 150 volts, but people have been known to have been killed by these circuits under unusual conditions. On the other hand persons have survived several thousand volts when the shock was only momentary.

Q. What is the proper adjustment for the carburetor of an automobile?

The carburetor should supply just enough gas to run the car without fouling the engine. When the motor "spits back," the mixture is too lean, and the carburetor should be changed to the point where it "spits" a little when the car is started. Let runs steadily as the engine warms up. When the car emits black smoke the mixture is too rich. The adjustment should not be made when the motor is cold. The driver of the car should do the job himself, and not let an auto mechanic do it.

Q. What purpose of the bill to establish a presidential cabinet position for attorney?

It is to provide a cabinet position for attorney.

## THE EVOLUTION OF THE MOTOR CAR

By J. H. MacAlman, President of the Boston Automobile Dealers Association, Inc.

Never before since I have been engaged in the automobile business (and that means since the motor vehicle became an article of merchandise) has the industry offered to the purchaser so much value for his money as at this time. To my mind that is the most important development of the year. The cars of 1925 are better built and simpler than their predecessors, which spells long and satisfactory wear; they are more comfortable and finer appearing and consequently more satisfactory to the owner; and, considering what the buyer receives for his purchase price, they are cheaper.

But perhaps I can best illustrate what I mean by the increased value of the present day product by a comparison of the equipment of the cars of 1925 with some of their ancestors. Fifteen years ago, for example, when the motor car had already earned a place for itself as a reliable means of transportation and had begun to be built and sold in quantities, a really good, dependable open car cost about \$4500. That was the price—any, for a seven-passenger touring car with a four-cylinder engine that developed about 45 horse power. But that was just for an open car; it was without top, windshield, lamps, speedometer or starting device and if the owner wanted these additions same would cost between four and five hundred dollars.

In the course of the following five years, the price went up a little and the buyer began to get a little more with his car. The 1915 model of a seven-passenger touring car with a six-cylinder motor delivering 40 H. P. was priced at \$5000. By that time the manufacturer was including not only a top, but a slip cover and the car had electric starter and lights, windshield, speedometer and demountable rims. It was considered a remarkably complete automobile.

Congress has had before it for many years bills providing for the establishment of a Department of Education. Some of these bills have passed. By virtue of the Secretary of the United States Senate copies of the most recent bills may be secured. Similar bills were formerly passed upon Congress for a department of public health, to be created over by a physician. In both instances the Government maintains its refusal to look after these matters.

Q. What was the amount of the campaign funds of the Democrat and Republican committees in the last presidential election?

The Republican National Committee expended \$3,003,352.74. The Democratic National Committee had a campaign fund of \$405,920.

Q. Does Henry Ford ever speak in public?

Within less than a month he declined an invitation to attend a convention in Washington and his secretary explained that "one obstacle in the way is that he never speaks in public."

Q. Is there such a thing as a Moral Code for School Children that has the endorsement of leading educators?

Yes. Such a code was formulated by the National Weekly, from thousands of suggestions offered by leading American jurists, statesmen, educators and church dignitaries. This code, available for framing, is supplied free to school superintendents and teachers by the Editorial Extension Department, Collier's Weekly, 250 Park Avenue, New York City.

Q. Is there any woman employed in distinguished service in the United States Government—that is outside of an clerical place, such as Congresswoman?

Many women hold executive positions in the Government. Perhaps the most distinguished service has been rendered by Mrs. Mabel Walker Waddell, assistant attorney general who has in charge of the prosecution of probate law violations, and one of the most important duties in connection with the Department of Justice have been referred to and handled by her, always with excellent results.

Q. Where can a thoroughbred automobile of 1925 be purchased without a dealer?

Where have you been working in many daily newspapers and there are several books published giving lists of stations and their motor lengths. By sending Office order to the Government Printing Office in Washington, D. C., you may obtain an official list of commercial and Government stations. For twenty-five cents they will furnish you a list of amateur stations.

Q. What is the length of time a copy right lasts?

Copyrights have a term of 28 years, and are renewable for 14 years, after which they are extended for another 14 years. This gives the copyright a life of 56 years.

Q. What is the largest woman's organization?

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tomobile. But in the course of another five years, by 1920, the price had dropped materially and the equipment had been increased to include such things as clock, electric horn and ammeter. But there was still a spread of about \$1000 between the price of the open and of the enclosed car.

Now come the cars of 1925 which is just about as complete as it is possible to make it. The six-cylinder engine does not rate as high as its prototype of ten years ago, but it is much more efficient and likewise more economical. The car costs delivered complete about half what the car of 1915 did and completeness now comprehends all the things included in the cars of ten and five years ago, and also such conveniences as windshield cleaner, motorometer, sun visor, stop light, inspection lamp, spare tire carrier, rear view mirror, anti-glare lenses and, in the enclosed models, such niceties as vanity and smoking sets, dome and quarter lamps.

In other words, in the course of ten years the industry has cut the price in half and built a vastly better car and at the same time has included in the cost to the purchaser equipment that in 1915 would have cost several hundred dollars and some of which could not have been obtained at any price because it did not exist.

Chassis lubrication has been perfected to a point where it is relatively a simple matter. Today the owner doesn't have to think about engine lubrication at all except to have the crankcase drained at regular intervals and the oil renewed. Many owners do not touch the carburetors from the time they buy a car until they sell it, whereas formerly they had constantly to be tinkering with the fuel mixer. The gasoline supply of today has no variations, cooling takes care of itself and the driver scarcely ever realizes that there are such things as transmission case and differential requiring attention. Tires are immeasurably superior. We used to think we had done well if we made four thousand miles as a set of tires and we were lucky if we took a long trip without one or more punctures. The modern tire goes ten to fifteen thousand miles and punctures happen so seldom that not infrequently the driver has to consult his book of directions to learn how to remove the rim. In past years every driver learned that very early and very thoroughly by frequent experience. Then, there is the great improvement that has been brought about through more durable body finishes and the greater attractiveness resulting from the more extensive employment of nickel-plated parts. It does not seem many years ago when it took the greater part of a day of a man merely to polish the brass on a car.

I have not yet mentioned the greatest of all the increases in value represented by the car of the present year. That is the marked reduction that has come about in the price of enclosed cars. We have been so long accustomed to a large differential between the price of the open and enclosed cars, that it seems marvelous that the industry has been able to accomplish what it has done very lately in offering enclosed models at the same price as open.

The motor industry is very sensitive to public demand. When the public revealed at franking the engine, the industry devised and adopted the self-starter; when the owners became tired of crawling under their cars to reach essential parts, the builders either eliminated the necessity of giving frequent attention to these parts or made them accessible. And now, when the motorist, or a great majority of them, have shown a preference for the unobscured comfort of the enclosed car, the industry is meeting that want by providing enclosed models at a greater cost than open cars.

The great automobile industry does not stand still; it cannot stand still. Constant effort to progress has put it in the commanding position it now occupies among the great industries of the world. That the motor car of 1925, as it is exemplified in the current display of the H. H. Clark Co., is so many times more complete than that of 1910 and is capable of change or improvement in any essential detail, is to be expected at any lower price than of those of 1910.

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F. E. Murphy, Monday. She is stopping for awhile at Roscoe Emery's. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Beckler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maitland Bird, Sunday.

## PROBATE NOTICES

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Bethel, within and for the County of Oxford, on the tenth day of March in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-five, by adjournment from day to day from the second Tuesday of said March, the following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen printed at Bethel, in County of Oxford, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at said Auburn, on the second Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon, and object if they see cause.

EDWARD M. CARTER, late of Bethel in said County of Oxford deceased. First account presented for allowance by Henry H. Hastings, administrator. WILLIAM H. NEWELL, Judge. A true copy—Attest: Fred O. Watson, Register.

3-12-25

## PHENIX MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, CONCORD, N. H.

Assets Dec. 31, 1924

Real Estate,	00
Mortgage Loans,	00
Collateral Loans,	\$26,769.00
Cash in Office,	9,167.23
Cash in Office and Bank,	9,167.23
Agents' Balances,	0,570.00
Bills Receivable,	1,827.88
Interest and Rents,	00
All other Assets,	\$325,355.26
Deduct Items not admitted,	00
Admitted Assets,	\$325,355.26

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses,	\$14,566.00
Unearned Premiums,	91,183.03
All other Liabilities,	2,223.27
Cash Capital,	100,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	117,067.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$325,355.26

3-12-25

## NEW HAMPSHIRE MUTUAL LIABILITY COMPANY

2 South Main Street, Concord, N. H.

Assets Dec. 31, 1924

Real Estate,	00
Mortgage Loans,	00
Collateral Loans,	\$35,000.00
Stocks and Bonds,	\$32,535.57
Cash in Office and Bank,	14,189.00
Agents' Balances,	14,621.60
Bills Receivable,	2,105.81
Interest and Rents,	41,995.23
All other Assets,	\$440,446.29
Deduct Items not admitted,	00
Admitted Assets,	\$440,446.29

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1924

Net Unpaid Losses,	\$1,063.37
Unearned Premiums,	107,205.20
All other Liabilities,	5,140.64
Cash Capital,	200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	66,377.08
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$440,446.29

3-3-25

## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Henry E. Bartlett late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ELISE BARTLETT, Executor, N. H.

Agent—Walter E. Bartlett, Bethel, Maine.

February 18th, 1925

## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Samuel O. Graver late of Mason in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ELERY C. PARK, Executor, N. H.

February 18th, 1925.

## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Mary F. Farwell late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

FRANK R. KENDALL, Executor, N. H.

February 18th, 1925.

## Catarrhal Deafness

is often caused by an infected condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is infected you have a running nose or a running throat. Unless the inflammation can be removed, your hearing may be permanently lost.

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## SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

BETHEL LODGE, No. 97, F. & A. M., meets in Masonic Hall the second Thursday evening of every month. D. M. Forbes, W. M.; Fred B. Merrill, Secretary.

PURITY CHAPTER, No. 102, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall the first Wednesday evening of every month. Mrs. Susan Edwards, W. M.; Mrs. Pearl Tibbitts, Secretary.

MT. ABRAM LODGE, No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Friday evening. L. H. Coburn, N. G.; A. C. Brink, Secretary.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE, No. 44, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Monday evenings of each month. Mrs. Lilla Morgan, N. G.; Mrs. Anna French, Secretary.

SUBURBY LODGE, No. 22, K. of P., meets in Grange Hall every Tuesday evening. Kenneth McNair, C. C. John Harrington, K. of R. and S.

NACCOMI TEMPLE, No. 68, PYTHIAN SISTERS, meets the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Grange Hall. Mrs. Carrie French, M. E. C. Mrs. Constance Wheeler, M. of R. and C.

BROWN POST, No. 84, G. A. R., meets at Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. A. H. Hutchinson, Commander; I. C. Jordan, Adjutant; L. N. Bartlett, Q. M.

BROWN W. R. C. No. 36, meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Mrs. Lottie Inman, President; Mrs. Constance Wheeler, Secretary.

GEORGE A. MUNDT POST, No. 31, AMERICAN LEGION, meets the first Tuesday of each month in its rooms. Albert Grover, Commander; Lloyd Lutton, Adjutant.

BETHEL ORANGE, No. 56, P. of H., meets in their hall the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Zenas Merrill, M.; Eva W. Hastings, Secretary.

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## IT HAPPENED

NEW

News of Seneca

From the State

Expenditures of the recent during the totaled \$21,172.84. capita, figures made census bureau reveal

Dr. Harold W. Z. tendent of Bridgeport announces that a person is withheld, has given \$25,000 for the purchase of a national milligrams of







## Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

by MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### RAINBOW JEWEL COLORS

Mother Rainbow was talking to her children.

"My loves," she said, "we must always keep our jewels and our beautiful colors fresh and pretty and new."

"Of course, they aren't really new, but if they're kept pretty and fresh they will look new, and they will look new, too, if we all keep our smiles."

"We would make a great difference with many if they only kept their smiles new and bright."

"Whereas you don't understand that, my loves."

The Rainbow children, in their beautiful gaily colored homes, looked a little puzzled.

"Smiles are always new," Mother Rainbow said. "And they make people look so nice, too."

"Of course, there are such things as familiar smiles. We may say that some one has a nice, familiar smile—that person's own smile."

"But it is always a new smile. It may be the same kind of a smile—the kind that person is most apt to smile, but it is always a new one, too."

"You can't get old or worn-out smiles. A smile, you see, is never worn out."

"Now, our smiles are much the same at all times, but they're always new and gay and bright."

"And that is the way we must keep them."

"The Rainbow family must never have frowns, you know. Then there are our jewels—our jewels which shine through our smiles as we join Mr. Sun and the King of the Clouds in a pretty showery party."

"There are always plenty of family jewels for us to wear, but we must of ways keep them looking well."

"There is a lovely pot of gold and we can dip some of the gold from it to make our costumes shine through the smiles. And there is the pot of rainbow smiles and rainbow clouds and rainbow jewels of every kind."

"Some of you wear one color and others another color, and so on, and then we all stay, arranged so that to the earth people it seems as though we were long strips of color—they don't know it is because we arrange ourselves this way."

"And do they know that it is because many of us are wearing one color and stand together, and many of us are wearing another and stand together that we appear to them as we do?"

"Not smile ever greatest at all times, my loves. That is why people love to see the sun and the rain together. They know they will see our"



The Rainbow Children Helped Mother Rainbow.

smiles—our golden, sunny, sparkling rainbow smiles.

"You never heard of being able to get second-hand smiles, or second-hand smiles, as perhaps they should be called were there such things."

"But there aren't!"

"And now let us get to work and polish up the jewels."

So the Rainbow children helped Mother Rainbow and they set out to the sky on soft rays of green and blue and blue.

They dipped their jewels in the gold and silver and the red and they polished them so that they shone.

"They had little rays of the rainbow colors of white with which to polish their jewels."

And they polished their jewels and so they shone and bright and they came down to the King of the Clouds and the King of the Clouds said that they were the best of the best."

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### ANDOVER

Rev. C. W. Robinson preached an excellent sermon Sunday morning from the text found in Acts 27:31.

Christian Endeavor and preaching service in the evening.

The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist church met with Mrs. C. L. Ripley Tuesday of last week.

Award Spidel is working at Black Brook for Herbert Campbell.

An all day meeting of the ladies of the Andover Farm Bureau will be held in the hall Tuesday, March 17, with a picnic dinner at noon. Miss Gladys Page, Home Demonstration Agent, will be present and foundation waist patterns will be the work preparatory for the clothing school to be held in April.

Mrs. Olla Lovejoy from Lynn, Mass., has been visiting Mrs. E. F. Colborn the past week.

Mrs. Fred Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jasper Driggers, who is ill at the Queen's Maternity Hospital, Portland.

A special town meeting will be held Monday, March 16, to elect the necessary town officers.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church served a baked bean and pastry supper in the hall Wednesday evening with a good attendance. Mrs. Fred Milton, Mrs. E. F. Colborn, Mrs. Horstense Newton, Mrs. Alice Thurston and Mrs. Roger Thurston were the committee.

The schools in town will close Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

**GILEAD**  
Dr. B. G. Ingalls of Berlin, N. H., was in town last week.

Mrs. Lucian Littlejohn and Mrs. Jennie Littlejohn of Bethel were accord guests at J. E. Richardson's home and Taylor was in Berlin, N. H., last Thursday.

Mrs. Cora Heath had daughter, Miss Jack, of Bethel, spend the week end with relatives here.

Miss Hazel Kimball has gone to North Mills, Vt., to attend school.

Mrs. Florence Bryant was in Berlin, N. H., last Thursday.

George Leighton was a business visit to Lawrence, Mass., and Portland, Me., last week.

Mrs. Alvin Auble and daughter were in Berlin, N. H., last Thursday.

Several families have returned from their vacation after spending several weeks there.

Mrs. Mary Kimball is assisting with the housework at H. L. Watson's.

The many friends of Mrs. Wesley Watson are sorry to learn of her illness at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin, N. H.

Stewart Goodwin of Norway was a recent visitor in town.

Metairie View Grange held a special meeting Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, to confer the third and fourth degrees on two candidates. Refreshments of ice cream and cake and apple pie were served. There were 35 members present.

Miss Grace Bennett was a week end guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett, West Bethel.

**FOR SALE**  
Your home lots on new Street, connecting Main with Gary Streets. Approximately half way between St. Paris and Norway Villages. Lots ranging in size from 51 ft. by 150 ft.; 60 ft. by 167 ft. Price right. Here is your chance.

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**OVER FOUR YEARS LATER,** Mrs. Bartlett added: "Doan's Pills cured me of kidney trouble and the cure has been permanent."

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**CHURCH ACTIVITIES**  
**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**  
Spring Street  
Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.  
Sunday services at 10:45 A. M.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
"The Singing Church"  
Rev. C. B. Oliver, Minister  
10:45 A. M. Divine worship and sermon.  
12:00 P. M. Church School.  
6:30 P. M. Epworth League.  
7:30 P. M. People's evening worship.  
7:30 P. M. Tuesday: (Family worship). Prayer meeting.

Watch for the notice of a special Holy Week Program beginning in the Methodist Church and closing with the observance of the Lord's Supper in the Congregational Church.

The District Superintendent, Dr. Ray H. Holt, will preach at the Methodist Church, Sunday morning, April 5. The Fourth Quarterly Conference will be on Saturday evening, April 4.

The minister's subject for Sunday morning will be, "The Scribe Motive." In the evening at 7:30 the subject is, "How To Study."

The general subject for the 6:30 Sunday evening hour is, "Our Community—The Place Where We Live."

Special thought for Sunday night, Keeping It Happy.

The subject will be put in the form of a debate: "Resolved, that happiness just happens along to people as a matter of luck." The first and second departments will take the negative. The positive will be supported by the third and fourth departments. Time will be 3 minutes for each speaker, the negative and positive speakers alternating.

Time keeper, Charles Haselton. Judge, Myrtle Wilson. The rebuttal allows each side three minutes outside and one minute and a half for each speaker.

The World Service treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Adams, reports that our church has paid nearly three hundred dollars this year for others. By conference time we will have reached about three hundred and fifty dollars easily, if all are up to date.

**UNIVERSALIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Charles Easthouse, Minister  
Sunday services at 10:45. The minister will preach on the subject, "The Church of the Future."  
Sunday school at 12 o'clock.  
Young People's meeting at 7:15. The minister will give a talk on the subject, "The World a Field for Christian Service."

On Thursday evening the choir will give a concert at the home of L. L. Farley. Admission free.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Sunday, March 15.  
10:45: Service of worship conducted by the pastor.  
11:15: Church School.  
7:30: Service of worship on Joseph, Man of Sorrows.  
Tuesday evening, 6:15: Church School.

**MASON**  
Freemasons are hastening to get the first of their timber out of the woods while it is still green.

School commenced Monday with Miss Hazel Wyman of Bryant's Pond as teacher.

Mrs. Herbert Long is in Rhode Island where she was called by the illness and death of Mr. Long.

Several from town went to West Bethel, Saturday evening to see the drama, "His Uncle's Niece," presented by local talent.

Mrs. Merrill is heading north for E. P. Smith.

J. P. Killings' teams have finished hauling timber for J. A. McKenney and are heading for Westley River.

Mr. Thayer has finished hauling the lumber for J. A. McKenney.

### BETHEL AND VICINITY

(Continued from page 1)

Mr. Albert Eames of Lewiston was in town, Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Twaddle were in Portland, Friday.

See page 8 regarding special prices on graduation photos.

Mr. R. J. Sawyer was home from Berlin over the week end.

Mrs. Paul Staples of Rumford is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Herriek.

Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and son, Donald of East Bethel spent the week end with Mrs. G. N. Sanders.

Mr. Arthur Walden and Mr. Stearns are at Bethel Inn with the former's dog team, composed of nine dogs.

Miss Gertrude Johnson of Bethel Inn has gone to Iowa, N. Y., where she will spend a few weeks' vacation.

Quite a number from here attended the drama, "His Uncle's Niece," at West Bethel, Saturday evening.

Miss Maria Robertson has returned to her home on Main Street after spending the winter at Mrs. Fred Wood's.

**MOONLIGHT SONATA**  
Here branches like gaunt grey arms  
Are awaying to and fro.  
They seem to stretch twig-like fingers  
In the moonlight on the snow.  
Like a river of liquid silver  
The moonlight shimmers down,  
And the cold snow glows and glimmers  
Like a satin wedding gown.  
The world is a vast white silence,  
Far above the pale stars glow,  
And I know that moon elves dance  
In the moonlight on the snow.  
Madge M. Carey.  
Bethel, R. F. D. 2.

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Watch your child closely when he gets a "cold" and begins to cough. Many a case of croup and serious illness has been turned aside with a few drops of that fine old medicine, **Kemp's Balsam**. Act promptly. Don't be discouraged because ordinary cough syrups fail to help—stick to Kemp's Balsam. Just a few doses bring the relief you are looking for. Only 30 cents at all stores.

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**Smart Spring Coats**  
of the newest fabrics are in stock ready for your choosing. Many of the new coats have high fur collars, that are becoming to most women. Others have fur bands around the bottom—still others have embroidery or folds in self or contrasting colors—offering many striking effects. Coats in stock for both misses and women. Moderately priced \$12.50 and up to \$47.50.

**New Spring Fabrics**  
now on sale. Silks, wash fabrics and dress woolsens, in the new weaves, colors and designs, invite your attention this week. Do your sewing before the warm Spring days when you will want to be out of doors. Prices unusually moderate this season.

**Charming Silk Dresses**  
have just arrived. Bright striking colors offer something different for the woman looking for something individual. New dresses \$16.50 and \$24.75.

**Lingerie Fabrics**  
in dainty Spring colors—orchid, sunset, pearl, flesh, blue and white. Checks, stripes and plain weaves offer variety to suit every taste. Prices 42c to 79c.

**A Few Special Values**  
that are attractive this week

**Special Jersey Bloomers**  
of Rayon (fibre silk) in dark colors, a heavy quality, special at \$1.95.

**Plisse Crepe Bloomers**  
in white, blue, peach and orchid, a good quality, cut full size, special at 75c.

**Laundered Collar and Cuff Sets**  
White with colored embroidery dots and plain colors, very smart with flannel dresses, 50c and 35c.

**Leather Sport Jackets**  
A sport coat that will give unusual service, a very soft kid finish leather in mahogany color, satin lined, two ample pockets, jersey bottom and jersey lined collar. A splendid coat at only \$11.95.

**Suede-like Sport Jackets**  
A very fine fabric, hard to tell from real suede leather at a short distance, lined with satteen, fine jersey bottom and jersey or self collar. Ample pocket. Splendid coat at \$8.95.

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## AFTER EX-SERVICE MEN AS MEMBERS

"Every ex-service man a Legionnaire" is the slogan for the American Legion in the department of Oklahoma which has just been announced by the new department commander, J. F. Hatcher. And if he is as successful in translating that slogan into reality as he has been in his educational work, Oklahoma is going to have more Legionnaires by the end of 1925 than ever before.

The new commander, born and reared on an Oklahoma farm, graduated from Central Teachers' college at Edmond, Okla., and from the University of Oklahoma and the University of Florida. He was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa, the national honorary scholarship society. He taught school in several Oklahoma towns and then at the Central Teachers' college. He has for the past six years been principal of the junior and senior high schools at Chickasha.

At the present time Mr. Hatcher is president of the State High School Athletic association and a director in the Oklahoma Educational association. He



J. F. Hatcher.

is a director of the Chickasha chamber of commerce and president of the Lions' club there. He is a past commander of Raymond T. Hurst post, No. 54, of the Legion at Chickasha.

Commander Hatcher enlisted in the United States navy in 1917. He served in the aviation section at Pensacola, Fla., and at Norfolk, Va. He attended the Naval academy at Norfolk and was commissioned as an ensign in the Naval Reserves. He served in the mine project, shipping mines to the North sea, until the close of the war.

## First Contribution to Gresham Memorial Fund

In response to the International crusade started by the Evansville (Ind.) American Legion post to create an international war memorial at the grave of Private James Bethel Gresham, the first American who "went west" in the World war, the New Cumberland post, Pennsylvania, wired what is believed to be the first contribution to the Evansville post to apply towards the Gresham memorial. It was the first contribution sent by a Legion unit from the department of Pennsylvania and probably the first in the country. Private Gresham's grave is now marked only by a milk bottle containing a note in faded letters: "James Bethel Gresham. He died for you and me."

If the plans of Evansville post are realized, a beautiful monument will be erected with the central figure to represent Private Gresham. The other figures will represent the first soldier to die on the battlefield for the other allied nations engaged in the recent war.

## Newsboy Gives Savings to Legion's Home Fund

Here is a modern parallel of the widow's mite. An American Legion soldier out seeking funds for the home fund of James Hickey post, Portsmouth, N.H., was stopped on the street by a newsboy. "Here mister," the lad said, "I've saved up some papers for two weeks and I've saved up some of what I just had to buy to live on. I want to give it to the home fund. You better take more than that for me." And the newsboy passed the lad the money and a check for the home fund. "That's a good boy," said the Legionnaire. "It makes me determined to give the best we have in peace time service."

## Coon Hunt and Feast Brings New Members

Coon dogs, ranging in pedigree from Mendocino "hounds" to the best available of animals, were in unusual demand recently in Terre Haute, Ind. The reason was to be found in the annual coon hunt staged by American Legionnaires of Terre Haute. Members of the Legion from miles around gathered for this annual hunt in such numbers there weren't enough dogs with coon-hunting propensities to go around. The Legionnaires put on a big coon feast and membership rally after the hunt, which increased the membership of the post at the expense of the coon population of the region.

# THE AMERICAN LEGION

(Copy for this department supplied by the American Legion News Service.)

## EXPECT CONGRESS TO GIVE APPROVAL

Designation by President Coolidge, in his annual message to the Sixty-eighth congress, of the American Legion as "the chief and most representative body of veterans" and his approval in great part of the Legion's legislative proposals, is taken by Legion officials as an indication that the Legion's legislative program will receive careful consideration by the congress.

Among the more important measures that will be proposed by the Legion and pressed for passage during the present short session of congress are: Universal service act for conscription of men, women and materials in case of war; technical amendments to the adjusted compensation bill which would make it possible for beneficiaries to allot compensation to patriotic organizations chartered by congress; the money to be used for veteran rehabilitation and child welfare; an amendment making heirs eligible to the full benefits of the compensation act without full proof of dependency; a bill calling for the immediate enactment of legislation for the retirement of disabled emergency army officers and amendments to the civil service law giving preference to ex-service persons.

As regards rehabilitation and hospitalization of the disabled veteran, always of first consideration in the Legion's legislative program, President Coolidge pointed out in his message: "With the authorization for general hospitalization of the veterans of all wars, provided during the present year, the care and treatment of those who have served their country in time of peril and the attitude of the government toward them is not near so much one of needed legislation as one of careful, generous and humane administration. It will ever be recognized that their welfare is of the first concern and always entitled to the most solicitous consideration on the part of their fellow citizens."

During the past year the Legion urged and secured the passage of the World war veterans' act, the most comprehensive legislation yet passed for the benefit of the disabled veteran. President Coolidge summed up his approval of the Legion's program for this session by recommending: "With many of the proposals I join in hearty approval and commend them all to the sympathetic investigation and consideration of the congress."

## Bodenhamer Is Slated for Chairmanship Job

O. L. Bodenhamer, former commander of the Arkansas department of the American Legion, is slated for national chairman of the American Legion legislative committee, one of the most important committees in the national organization. Announcement of the tentative appointments, pending final approval of the national executive committee, has been made by National Commander James A. Drain. Mr. Bodenhamer's appointment is a distinct compliment to his leadership ability. He served as a member of the national legislative committee last year, and was national chairman of resolutions at the St. Paul convention. He served as chairman of the ex-service men and women delegates at the national Democratic convention. It is predicted that through this appointment the American Legion's legislative program will be assured of success in the short session of congress.

## Would Turn Clay Home Into Memorial Park

The American Legion of Lexington, Ky., would have "Ashland," the old home of Henry Clay, taken over by the government and made the site of a national park. At a recent meeting the Lexingtonians approved the plan and will urge the legislation to that effect be presented to the next congress. Should the congress fail to approve the plan the state of Kentucky will be urged to acquire the property as a state memorial for the Legionnaires. "The old Henry Clay was a native of Virginia. His public services and fame belong to Kentucky and no better way could be devised to perpetuate his memory than for the state to purchase 'Ashland' and convert it into a national park."

## Would Have Legion Man on Boxing Commission

Both W. H. Strullinger of Hollywood, Cal., has been recommended to Governor Richardson by State Commander Nathan P. Condon, as the choice of the Legion for membership on the new state boxing commission. Since many posts of the Legion are interested in boxing the Legion has urged that a Legion man be on the commission. Strullinger has been active in promoting the boxing interests of the Hollywood post, of which he is a member, by which many thousands of dollars have been turned into the post's coffers.

## Humble Socket Is Important to Set

Attachment 'Should Be  
Made of Best Material  
—Contact Springs.

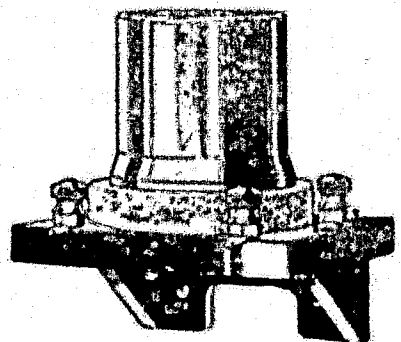
The humble socket, used to hold the vacuum tube and to provide the means of making an electrical contact between the prongs of the tube and the rest of the circuit, receives less attention from the radio fan than it should. The socket should be carefully scrutinized, for it is at this point that the plate and grid wires and filament leads come very close to each other. If the socket is made of poor insulating material these currents will leak across the base between the blinding posts, and become lost. The volume and distance of the receiver will suffer. Nothing less than bakelite should be used.

Do not accept a socket made of material that can be easily cut with a knife, or will leave a black mark when rubbed across a piece of white paper. Material that will do this has insulating substance. As a rule, this class of material will melt under the heat of a soldering iron.

Of first importance are the contact springs. Poor contact springs cause a great deal of the noise that is attributed to static. Due to the short distance available on the inside of a socket, and the need for keeping the dimensions of the socket as small as possible, the contact spring must necessarily be short. Due to the shortness of the spring, most of the sockets at present are unsatisfactory, because the springs become permanently bent. This requires frequent bending back into their former position so that a good contact can be obtained with the prongs of the tube.

One manufacturer has solved this problem by making the spring longer, then bending the tip of the spring backwards and upwards. This slight motion allows the tip to bend in two places. Springs are made of phosphor bronze and always keep a firm upward pressure against the tube prong.

The socket should also be non-magnetic. In a receiver which uses ordinary sockets, a loud ring will be heard whenever the set is turned. Often re-



New Type of Socket Which Overcomes Difficulty.

moving the hand from the tuner dial will be sufficient to cause the tubes to set up this ring. This is caused by the elements of the tubes vibrating. To cure this, many set builders fasten their sockets on soft rubber sponges to absorb vibration. The chief objection to this method is that if you use screws to hold the socket down to the baseboard, or use bus bar wiring to the blinding posts, the socket is mechanically connected to the baseboard, and the rubber support does not help a great deal in reducing noises.

A new type of socket has appeared on the market, which overcomes this difficulty. The socket is made of two pieces of molded bakelite. On one piece is mounted the blinding posts and a pad of soft spongy rubber is glued on in the center. The shell of the socket contains the contact springs and this is glued to the top of the rubber pad. Connections are made from the blinding posts to the contact springs by flexible stranded wire leads under the shell of the base. These wire leads are "dead" as far as vibrations are concerned, and the tube is therefore completely isolated.

The socket can be mounted directly on the back of the panel or on the baseboard. The soft rubber pad allows for the absorption of side jars as well as those in a vertical direction.

## Poor Connections in Jacks Cause Trouble

Sometimes a set will cease to operate or will operate poorly on the last stage of audio frequency amplification. This is almost always due to a poor connection in the jack that provides the last stage or in one of the preceding stages.

If you have this trouble, look in between the small silver contacts in the jacks and notice whether or not they close properly when the plug is withdrawn from them. Sometimes the springs weaken and do not allow them to close as they should.

The remedy is to take out the jack and bend the offending spring back into position, and then to replace the jack.

## Winter Weather Hard on Aerials and Grounds

Because winter storms mean extra strains on aerial and ground installations, it is a good idea to make a thorough inspection of the outdoor wiring system. See if the guy wires holding the aerial masts and the aerial wires in place are all taut and tight. Look over all soldered connections and try to determine if they have become corroded.

## ANNUAL FARMERS' WEEK

March 31, April 1, 2 and 3, have been set as the dates for the Nineteenth Annual Farmers' Week at the College of Agriculture, Orono. At that time, several hundred men and women from rural Maine are expected to meet and discuss the problems of agriculture and home making.

The Maine Central and the Bangor & Aroostook Railways are offering reduced rates of fare and a half for round trip tickets from all points on their lines, to Bangor, Orono or Old Town. These tickets are good going March 30 and 31 and April 1, 2 and 3 and good returning until midnight, April 4.

Arrangements have been made with the University authorities for the use of college dormitories in accommodating men and women attending Farmers' Week. The women will stay in Balentine Hall, one section of which will be reserved for husbands and wives while other men will be accommodated in Oak Hall. Meals will be served in Balentine and Hannibal Halls.

In addition to the regular agricultural and home economics sessions there will be special meetings and programs of the following organizations: Maine Federation of Agricultural Association, Maine Federation of Farm Bureau, Maine Livestock Breeders' Association, Maine Holstein-Friesian Breeders' Association, the Maine Jersey Breeders' Association, the Maine Ayrshire Breeders' Association, the Guernsey Association, the Maine Beekeepers' Association, the Maine Pomological Society, the Maine Seed Improvement Association and the Maine Sheep and Wool Growers' Association.

There will also be special features such as the four day poultry school, the battery school, discussions on market and consumption of forestry problems and many demonstrations and exhibits on different phases of Maine agriculture. An especially large list of speakers has been arranged which includes such men as Honorable Ralph O. Brewster, Governor of Maine, Frank P. Washburn, Commissioner of Agriculture, Dr. Clarence C. Little, President of the University of Maine, John E. Abbott, Master of the Maine State Grange, Dr. Leon S. Merrill, Dean of the College of Agriculture and scores of others prominent in Maine and other states.

The program for the entire week is being printed at this time. Copies will be sent free to any person upon request to Leon S. Merrill, Dean of the College of Agriculture, Orono.

## MIDDLE INTERVALE ROAD

Miss Mollie Stanley is spending a week in Portland with her sister.

Mr. Frank Vashaw and family are moving back to their home here.

Mrs. Mary J. Capen and Augustus Carter died at C. A. Capen's, Friday of last week.

Miss Alice Chapman spent the week end with Miss Ethel Capen.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Coolidge and daughter, Mae, died at his father's, Tuesday.

Mr. Lester Cooper spent the week end in Lewiston.

## LOOKE'S MILLS

Quite a few from here attended Pomona Grange at West Paris, Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Reed attended the funeral of Mr. Reed's sister at Auburn, Sunday.

Mrs. Donald Tobbits accompanied her father home to Mechanic Falls, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. King Bartlett were in South Paris, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Day and Lillian Lapham were in Bethel, Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Morgan and children visited her mother at Bryant's Pond, Saturday.

Frank Stevens of South Bethel and Harry Jackson of Auburn were in town last Friday and Saturday with their usual supply of dry goods.

## NEWRY

Duncan McPherson came home from Glenlast Saturday night, returning Monday.

The school began here last Monday with the same teacher, Miss Gerie Saunders, of Hanover.

F. I. French is hauling his ash logs to Hanover.

# BANGOR MAN'S MUSCLES WERE TIED UP IN KNOTS

That's The Way Harry Messer Says Rheumatism Made Him Feel—But Karnak Brings Complete Relief

Such statements as the following from Mr. Harry E. Messer, 469 Main St., Bangor, Me., should appeal to the thousands of Maine and New Hampshire people who suffer from the same troubles.

"If anyone had sworn to me until they were black in the face I wouldn't have believed it possible for any medicine to have done what this Karnak has done for me. Why, it has relieved me completely of a bad case of rheumatism from which I had been suffering for ten years and which nothing else would even help. I suffered torture day and

night. My knuckles were swollen twice their normal size and my hands were so stiff I couldn't close them tight. This rheumatism ran up through my arms, was in both my legs, and my muscles just seemed tied up in knots. Sharp pains would shoot through my body at every move, and it was with the greatest effort that I kept on the job. I was also a sufferer from indigestion and bloating, was terribly nervous and weak. 'You can just imagine how surprised I was when this Karnak not only set my stomach right, but made a clear sweep of the rheumatism as well. The swelling, soreness and pain has left me entirely, and I am like a new man all over. I don't know what it is, but there is something about Karnak that certainly does the work.'"

Karnak is sold in Bethel exclusively by W. E. Bosserman, and by the leading druggist in every town.

# CHAPMAN CONCERT

Saturday Afternoon, March 21

THREE SUPERB NEW YORK ARTISTS

Miss Muriel H. Wilson,

Soprano

Mr. Giuseppe Lombardo,

Tenor

William R. Chapman, at the Piano

Tickets at Popular Prices

On Sale at Bosserman's, Drug Store, beginning Monday, March 16.

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If you are interested in an easy way to own a Ford now—or at some future date—see the nearest Authorized Ford Dealer for facts regarding a convenient plan of payment, or write us direct.

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Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

IT IS EASY TO OWN A CAR THROUGH THIS PLAN



## Community Building

### Twelve Good Reasons for Owning One's Home

Here are a dozen reasons why the "Own Your Home" movement is worth while for every man to join. "Why not now?"—is a well-known advertising slogan. The reasons follow:

A home is the best investment you can make, and it will yield the biggest returns on your money.

It creates a feeling of assurance and independence.

It is a big step toward future happiness and success.

You need not wait until you have the full amount in order to begin purchasing your home.

By making monthly payments you pay for your home with the same amount of money, sometimes less than you are now paying for rent.

Each month your equity in the property becomes greater.

When you are living in your home you are living in an atmosphere of contentment.

You will not be forced to leave the home in which you have lived for many years.

You can continue to develop in the same school, your children can continue at the same school and you can continue the education and social life of your neighbors.

You do not have to leave the land, which is the best of all investments, for the sake of the rent.

When you own your home you are making a permanent investment in the community and securing your future on a solid basis.

The only way to get a home is to own one. Your own home is the only place where you can live in peace and contentment.

"Why not now?"—is a well-known advertising slogan. The reasons follow:

### Would Take Billboards From Public Highways

The National Association of Road Builders has been a strong advocate of the removal of billboards from public highways. The association has been successful in securing the removal of many billboards from public highways in many states. The association has been successful in securing the removal of many billboards from public highways in many states. The association has been successful in securing the removal of many billboards from public highways in many states.

### Modern Principles

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### City's Need of Trees

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### Change in City Managers

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## LIVE STOCK

### BEST SELECTION OF CATTLE FOR MARKET

Getting dollars out of quality not numbers should be the purpose of the range cattle producer, according to James Wallace of Washington, D. C., cattle grading expert sent out by the Department of Agriculture, who is giving demonstrations on the ranches of the mountain states in line with the effort of the department to improve marketing practices.

The first demonstration in the state was given before students of Colorado agricultural college and Larimer county ranchmen at the college football pasture. The following day there was another demonstration before the Larimer County Stock Growers' association at the McNeely ranch near Loveland.

"The Department of Agriculture, through this grading work is stressing the marketing side of beef production," said Wallace, in opening the demonstration. "We are not going to look at the head to pick out the best cow, but we'll pick them for best. The consumer is willing to pay a good price for certain cuts and if we want to stay in the business it will be up to us to make the cattle that carry the largest percentage of desirable cuts of beef. Now as we go over these cows we will let you know that is to tell you what kind of calves they will produce, when they are pure bred bulls, that will develop into the most good beef at the lowest cost."

Mr. Wallace told the cattle raisers that he had spent several months in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and other consuming markets studying selling practices. "Seventy per cent of the beef in these markets," he said, "is sold on a cut and not on a carcass." He urged producers to study their heads so that they can grade the animals on a percentage basis, that is with a view to getting paid on the basis of desirable cuts of beef and not on weight alone.

"The producer who sells his cattle in bulk gets paid on the basis of the percentage of the carcass," said Mr. Wallace. "He is penalized on the market because he puts the desirable and the undesirable cattle together. The buyer sees only the poor ones when he makes his bid. Sorting and grading according to market demands will solve the problem."

### Feeding Brood Sows as Well as Fattening Hogs

It is the custom to feed, and naturally must be, but many depend entirely upon the grain for food as well as for fattening hogs. It is more than one farm I have seen where a man running with following hogs again up to within ten days of farrowing, says a writer to the Prairie Farmer. With that sort of feed and with that care, it is a wonder that any of the litters were saved.

From making fat, and the head end does not need that at farrowing time, but much of it at one time. Corn and tankage or alfalfa hay make good ration for the brood sow. They are good for fattening, and they make good ration for the brood sow. They are good for fattening, and they make good ration for the brood sow.

### Live Stock Notes

An old horse, especially, like an old man, feels the cold.

Water your horses at least three times a day. The stomach of the horse is very cold.

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## The Scrap Book

### Famous Rifleman Gave Name to Pipe Spring

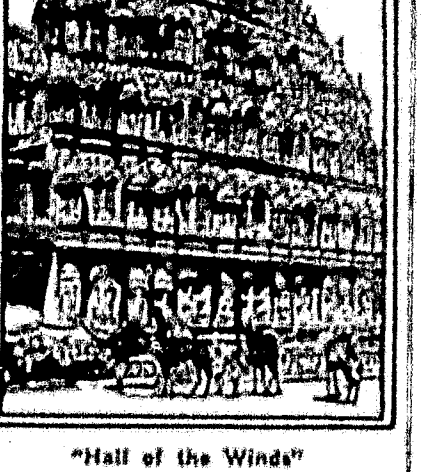
Pipe Spring national monument is famous in Utah and Arizona history. In 1853 Jacob Hamblin was sent by President Brigham Young of the Mormon church to visit the Hopi Indians in northern Arizona. His party consisted of ten, including a Pipe Indian guide, and, so the story goes, they camped by a marvelous spring in the midst of the desert.

Hamblin, observes the New York Times, was a noted rifle shot, and the conversation turned to the question of marksmanship. A wager was made that he could not shoot a hole through a handkerchief at 20 yards. Hamblin fired several shots at the square silk hung by the two upper corners, but the force of the bullet only swept the handkerchief back without penetrating it. Being in his failure and his friends laughing remarks that he could not shoot straight, Hamblin declared that if he could not shoot straight he would shoot his pipe up as a target and show the bottom out without breaking the bowl. Up went the pipe, and "crack" went the word and from that time on the spring has been called Pipe Spring according to the Department of the Interior.

In 1901 James M. Whitmore was sent by the church to the southern part of the state to raise cotton in Utah's arid and to develop the resources of that part of the territory. He and his followers settled at St. George, and in 1902, in order to provide grazing facilities for his herds of cattle and flocks of sheep, he located and improved the Pipe Spring ranch, which lies about 25 miles east of St. George and 20 miles west of Kanab.

### Indian City of Jeypore Has Unique Features

One of the most remarkable cities in the whole world is Jeypore, in India. It is a specially beautiful and regular because it was built all at one time and according to a single consistent design instead of being built better shelter and at different periods. The founder of it was Jay Singh a maharajah or native ruler who started it in 1727.



"Hall of the Winds"

Most of the buildings are covered with pink and white stucco—this being the case with the "Hall of the Winds," which is here illustrated. In Jeypore the sacred clock goes about the streets at will, eating anything eatable they see, and the people dare not molest them. The monkeys, elephants, camels and other animals are also considered sacred and they have things pretty much their own way—Pathfinder Magazine.

### Clocks' Two Years' Test

The twenty electric clocks in the palace of industry and other buildings at the British Empire exhibition at Wembley were two years under test at the royal observatory, Edinburgh. The special apparatus used included a kinematograph which takes account of thousands of a second. The variations of the clocks during the test never exceeded one hundredth of a second in twenty-four hours.

### Buoy's Long Voyage

A light buoy which broke away from its moorings in South America five years ago has traveled nearly 10,000 miles to Australia. The director general of navigation in New South Wales reported that the buoy broke about 1919, and assuming that it drifted the slowest route, it must have drifted between five and six miles a day.

### Retriever Adopts Kitten

A village dog who owned a cat and a cat who owned a dog. The retriever's two pups were born dead, as the cat had the cat's kitten. The cat had the cat's kitten. The cat had the cat's kitten. The cat had the cat's kitten.

### To Feast on Ancient Ham

A farmer near Reading, England, has kept a ham 47 years. It is one of the oldest in the world. It is one of the oldest in the world. It is one of the oldest in the world. It is one of the oldest in the world.

## LETTER FROM THE SALVATION ARMY

March 3, 1925

My dear Editor:

The Salvation Army makes an annual appeal to the charitable public in those towns and cities in which it has as yet no local post. This appeal is for the General Maintenance of its Home Services Work, including its Rescue and Maternity Homes, its Day Nurseries, its Fresh Air Camps and other charitable activities.

It has restricted its appeal in this way in order to save its supporters from undue annoyance by repeated calls upon their generosity. Unfortunately, however, unauthorized collectors continually visit these districts and make collections from door to door, some representing themselves as from the Salvation Army and others admitting that they are collecting for a somewhat similar organization.

Owing to the large number of complaints which have reached me and in order to protect the public and the Salvation Army, I have furnished every local collector of the Salvation with an official pass which contains his photograph and a description of the territory in which he is to operate and which bears my signature.

The public have the remedy for this matter in their own hands. If they would ask, on every occasion that they have any suspicion that the collector is not what he represents himself to be, for his official pass, and would give only to those who carry these passes, it would soon put a stop to promiscuous solicitation.

The newspapers and the police have very kindly cooperated with us for several years in endeavoring to put a stop to the practice complained of, and if the public will only act in the matter as suggested, it will soon cease. Cordially and sincerely yours,

W. A. MCINTYRE  
(Colonel)

## WHY IS A FLUE?

To carry off fumes? If that were the only reason, factory owners would not build expensive chimneys just to get rid of the products of combustion. It takes AIR to make anything burn. A gas heater must have air. Insufficient air means imperfect combustion and the possible formation of carbon monoxide gas. It may mean backdrafting of burners. Too much air means unnecessary waste of heat. A damper in the pipe is to regulate the amount of air.

Draft is caused by heating the air in the flue, which makes it lighter and causes it to rise, and cooler air is pulled in at the bottom to take its place. In a gas heater, this air mixes with the gas to permit combustion.

Properly installed and cared for, a gas heater is absolutely safe and mighty comforting; improperly used, it will give trouble. It is a willing and capable servant, but must be treated with consideration and respect.

## WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. Lowe is hauling wood for Mr. Copeland.

Annie Cross on Howe Hill was in Lewiston Thursday evening to an entertainment.

Tom Kestough, Jr. has finished work in Waterford and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Flanders called on her parents, Sunday.

Carl Cummings called at John Deegan's one day last week.

Parker Comer was in Portland recently and took in the auto show.

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## Dogs for Food

The dog meat which enters into the dietary of the Chinese is obtained from a special race, raised for the purpose, of which the characteristic is the color of the tongue. That organ should be of a blue-black color. These dogs are fed on milk and rice for about two months until they reach a certain weight. The number of edible dogs eaten annually in China is estimated at 5,000,000.

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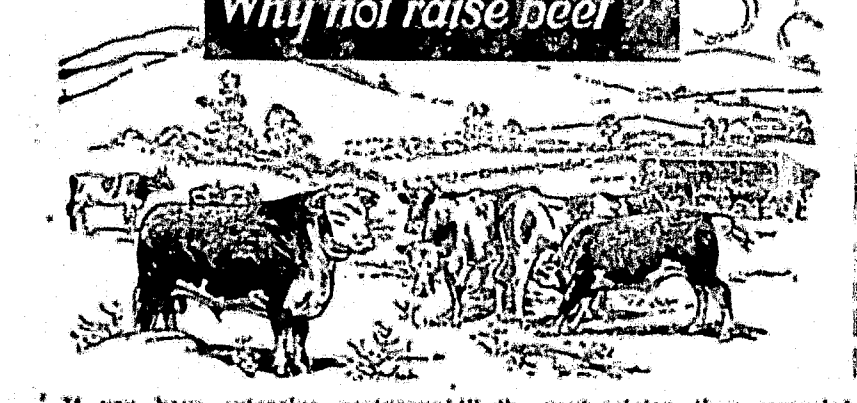
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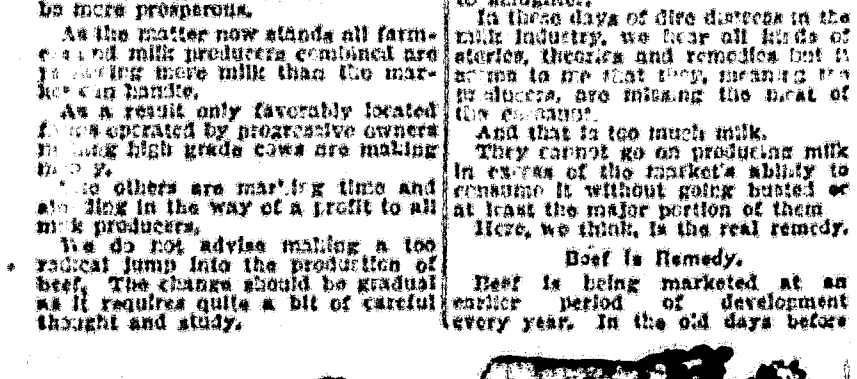
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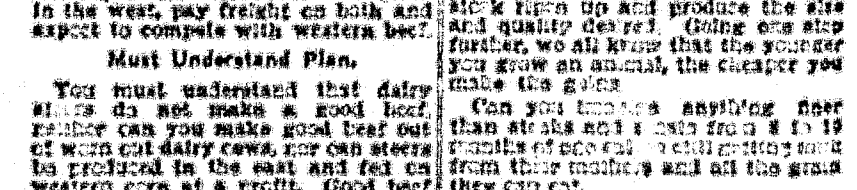
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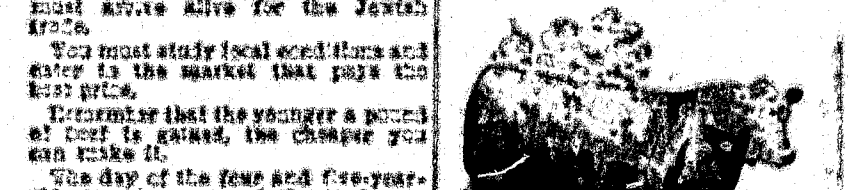


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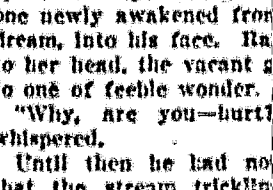
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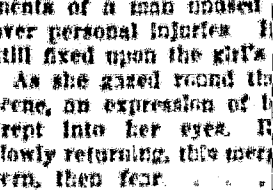


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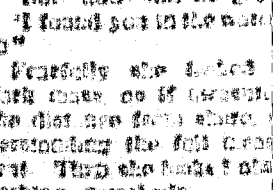


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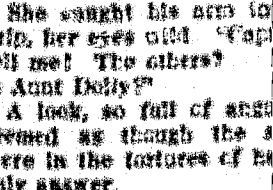


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